

GRANTS FOR STUDENTS AT INDEPENDENT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION
FY 1999

	Number of Institutions	Number of Students	Funds Awarded
Tuition Equalization Grant Program			
Independent Senior Colleges and Universities	39	23,049	\$ 45,745,149
Independent Junior Colleges	2	283	395,250
Independent Health-Related Institutions	<u>3</u>	<u>604</u>	<u>1,061,338</u>
Totals	44	23,936	\$ 47,201,737
Average Award			\$ 1,972

The Tuition Equalization Grant Program provides financial need-based awards to students attending independent institutions. Award amounts may not exceed the student's need, the additional tuition charges the student faces as a result of attending an independent institution instead of a public institution, or 50 percent of the annual appropriation made for students attending public institutions, whichever is the least.

State Student Incentive Grant Program

Independent Senior Colleges and Universities	38	806	\$ 673,015
Independent Junior Colleges	2	9	5,714
Independent Health-Related Institutions	<u>3</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>14,657</u>
Totals	43	837	\$ 693,386
Average Award			\$ 828

State Student Incentive Grant Program funds are provided by the federal government. In order for a student at an independent institution to receive a State Student Incentive Grant, he or she must first receive a state award through the Tuition Equalization Grant program.